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## RAILROAD

Is What You Hear at the Little City of Salem.

The Eagle Spar Company Talking a Narrow Gauge to Marion

The people of Salem are all agog over the prospects of a railroad from that place to some point on the Illinois Central, probably Marion.

The Eagle Spar Company of Wheeling, W. Va., has for some months past been prospecting for and mining spar in that section. Several valuable veins of spar have been uncovered and the company finds that it has a valuable product in large quantities, but lacks adequate means of transportation, and is therefore maturing a proposition to submit to the people for the construction of a narrow gauge railroad from Salem to the I. C.

Mr. Wm. Lowery who has been managing the company's business was questioned about the matter, and said:

"Yes, sir, the company wants the road, and wants it so keenly that it proposes to build it, if the people will help a little. Some of our company will be at Marion in a few days to talk to your people about it. We mean business, and want to build that road and build it at once. It is no idle talk nor vague scheme to be put on foot at some indefinite time in the future. We want the road and want it now."

The company is said to be composed of wealthy men, and they have faith in the industry they are developing and will not hesitate to spend a great deal of money in the development. It is stated that \$25,000 has already been spent in prospecting, opening mines and putting in machinery. Four mines are now being operated—the Guilb, Babh, Clullen and Hudson mines. The product from the Hudson mine is said to be the finest floor spar in the country.

Another company is working a mine on Mr. R. H. Woods' farm—three miles south of Salem.

The country lying west of the I. C. road from Marion to Livingston creek, and extending as far west possibly as the center of Livingston county, seems to be honey-combed with veins of spar, and as many as five companies are at work mining and shipping the spar and developing the field.

## A BIG BLAZE.

Four Business Houses at Blackford Destroyed by Fire Friday Night.

Just at 12 o'clock Friday night the people of Blackford were aroused from their slumber to find the business house of Head Bros., in flames. It was a big dry goods store, with ware room adjoining, and the flames were under too great a headway, when discovered, to fight and the house and contents were soon in ashes.

The fire spread rapidly despite the energies of a hundred or more earnest workers, and the drug store of Wallace & Brown, grocery store of Morgan & Allen, and undertaking shop of Dr. Asher were all burned. Head Bros., were the heaviest losers, their loss being estimated at \$4,000, with \$1,600 insurance.

Wallace & Brown, loss about \$3,000.

Most of the stock of Morgan & Allen was saved, the loss being estimated at \$150, besides the house, which belonged to another party. The loss of Dr. Asher was small as all but two coffins was saved, and the house belonged to another man.

The origin of the fire is unknown.

Thomas Thurman, deputy sheriff of Troy, Mo., says if everyone in the United States should discover the virtues of DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve for piles, rectal trouble, and skin diseases the demand could not be supplied.

Jan. H. Orme.

A special election has been ordered for August 29, to fill the vacancy in Congress from the Eighth Missouri district, caused by R. P. Bland's death.

What you want is not temporary relief from piles but a cure to stay cured. DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve cures piles and tees stay cured.—J. H. Orme

# To Delinquent Tax-Payers

The Fiscal Court of Crittenden County has ordered the Delinquent Tax-List for the year 1898 published in the Press. I have delayed the publication as long as possible, hoping all would settle; they have not and I now give notice that the list will be made up

Tuesday, August 15th,

and the names of all who have not paid for 1898 will be on the list and printed in the Press of Aug. 17. If you are on this list, call and pay before AUGUST 15.

John T. Pickens, S. C. C.

Marion, Ky., July 12, 1899.

## THE TEACHERS' INSTITUTE

The Official Proceedings. Training School and Changes in Examination Wanted

TUESDAY MORNING

Institute was called to order by Vice-President.

Devotional exercises.

Roll call.

This day being the Fourth of July the Superintendent suggested that the institute should adjourn at 3 o'clock in the afternoon and go to the opera house and have a program which shall be arranged by a committee. This met with the approval of the institute and a committee was appointed to arrange a program.

Messrs Evans, Gass, and Miss Margaret Moore were appointed as the committee.

Mr. Allen suggested that a committee be appointed on "Need of Legislation."

Prof. Holbrook favored the same, and a motion was made and carried that a committee be appointed. Mr. Allen, M. E. Butler and Miss Alice Browning were appointed as the committee.

Prof. Holbrook then gave a talk on "drill," showing the importance of drill and the knowledge gained thereby. He said, "Children should do everything understandingly, but the idea, that a child must understand everything before he does it, is wrong. A good teacher will see to it that certain facts are understood around which others may be centered. Blessed is the man that has a plan to his mind, for he shall accomplish something. You may not have a method as to how you will teach a lesson, but if you have a plan you may accomplish a great deal."

Concert drill is good for the reason that there are often some timid pupils who are not willing to risk themselves to answer alone. But concert drills soon wear out and a change is necessary. Give individual drill. Have pupils to repeat after you. Change mode of listening.

Give to pupils straight forward praise whenever you can. Don't give a pupil up because he is stupid or bad. There is hope for him. There is enterprise in him."

Recess.

Music.

Prof. Holbrook:—"Same laws of training which are to be used in the school room are to be used in the family. Every one has a class to teach as long as he lives. That class is himself. The same principles apply in this case as in others."

We all agree that the mind is a force. The mind as a force is more nearly like that force we see in the growth of a plant or tree. The thought we are to keep in mind, is growth."

Adjournment.

TUESDAY AFTERNOON.

Institute met at 1:30 p. m., and after music and roll call Prof. Holbrook gave a Pedagogical drill. He illustrated the drill with a historical drill or by teaching history by periods, as preparation, formation and reformation. Under each of these periods he gave three classes.

Institute then adjourned and went to the opera house.

WEDNESDAY MORNING.

Devotional exercises.

Roll call.

Prof. Holbrook gave plan for his work in afternoon.

W. C. Franklin suggested that a committee be appointed to write a journal, which should be read at the close of the institute. A motion was made and seconded that the committee be appointed. Mr. Crittenden was appointed editor-in-chief with Messrs Margaret Moore, Ida Koon, Messrs Lina, Allen and Watson as assistants.

Prof. Holbrook in his introductory remarks said: "The child must be trained to see the beauty in nature. Lead them to see that God is in it all."

"Make the pupils to think they are good for something. Encourage the backward boy. He'll honor you some time."

Prof. Holbrook then gave these principles in the study of the mind: "The mind is a conscious growing thing."

The mind is naturally self-acting. The mind naturally grows right. The mind naturally enjoys growing right."

In speaking of force, he said: "The will is a tremendous force. The power of the mind over different sensations is immense."

Recess.

Tropie Spelling:—Discussed by Prof. Holbrook. He said different methods should be used in teaching spelling. It may be oral, written or in composition and language work. He gave a drill in spelling.

Announcements for the day.

Institute then adjourned, to meet at 1:30 p. m.

WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON.

Opening exercises.

Roll call.

Prof. Holbrook:—"The mind may be fed. It may be stimulated, and it may be directed. If you want to know what you have to do with the mind, you must think about some growing thing. The mind of the pupils must be fed. The teacher

himself is food to the minds of his pupils."

Recess.

Discussion school management.

Mr. Allen opened the discussion and said: "We need a school house, attractive room, pupils to come regularly. One thing necessary is management of self. Too many of us fail to praise the work of our pupils."

Mrs. Flannery said that we should always have a definite plan for work. Let the pupils know that next to their parents, the teacher is their best friend.

Mr. Butler said that one important factor was in having confidence in your self that you can manage the school. We must determine to conquer; yet we must be kind and courteous to our pupils.

Mr. Casner thinks it is well to praise the pupils. It helps them to do better work.

Miss Wheeler said: "Be your very best self. Be as greatly interested in your pupils as you can. Try to get them to be free. Learn them as early as possible. We must love our pupils. Try to find the redeeming qualities in any bad pupil. We should be very particular about ourselves in the school room. Guard against being noisy. If the teacher is not quiet the pupils will not be apt to be quiet."

Prof. Holbrook:—"Never be too hasty—don't be too quick to form a decision."

Miss Ray Woods:—"The way to decide the question is to study the child. Some children can be praised while it will not do to praise others. Keep the children busy, happy and interested."

Mr. Paris:—"Have something for every pupil to do, and see that they do the work themselves. Hold the personality of pupil as sacredly as we do ourselves."

Announcements.

Institute then adjourned.

THURSDAY MORNING

Devotional exercises led by Rev. Burnett.

Solo, by Miss Maud Roney.

Roll call.

Introduction remarks by Prof. Holbrook, he said: "Acknowledge a good thing. So many people are backward about this. If you recognize and acknowledge something new, something better, you feel happy over it. If you recognize the hand of God in anything you feel happy."

"Progress is before us. See where the drift is and get with it. Let your lives get what they can from it. Are you giving yourselves the power that comes from the drift? What we need is to move on. Get into the current."

The Mind, a growing force was made the basis for discussion by Prof. Holbrook.

"Feeding the mind is simply giving it work to do. The weak mind, the diseased mind, is the result of it having nothing to do. The strength of the mind comes from having position."

lessen assigned, every request you make of a pupil, is giving food to the mind. But these tasks must be possible. Activity is necessary or the mind becomes sluggish, insane or dead."

Recess.

The last hour before noon was devoted to a lesson in spelling, given by Prof. Holbrook.

Adjournment.

THURSDAY AFTERNOON.

Roll call.

Prof. Holbrook:—"We discover the beauty in the growth of anything as we open up the way. Give the children freedom; let them think for themselves; let them do the work themselves. Give them questions by means of which they can think how to do the work assigned them."

Recess.

Discussion—Graded work in county schools:

Mr. Gass said: "I do not think much of this work has been done. I fully realize that it ought to be done, and I am in favor of it, but I have failed to do much toward grading my pupils."

Mr. Mott gave his plan showing to the teachers how he had succeeded in grading his school.

Mr. Hina said he thought grading should be given great attention. Any school could be graded.

Prof. Holbrook objected to crowding children into the same grade. He thought best to have a correct course of study and regulate pupils studies by that course.

Miss Nellie Walker said she graded her pupils by their readers—had some cross grading.

Miss Wheeler asked if grading according to plan given for schools could be done. She also suggested that a committee be appointed to make a plan of course of study and have ready at the meeting of District Association, which meets in Marion in November. Have the same printed.

Motion was made and seconded that the county superintendent be given the power to appoint a committee of five to investigate and make plan, etc.

The institute then adjourned.

FRIDAY MORNING.

Devotional exercises led by Mr. W. H. Watson.

Roll call.

Discussion of mind continued by Prof. Holbrook. "There are three processes of the mind—ingolug or sensibility, lands or intellect and outgoing or will."

"Reeling from memory purely mechanical and a poor way of expression."

"Pupils must be in a proper state of feeling. These feelings must be sympathized with and considered."

"The successful teacher must win the pupil, must also like the pupil."

"Encourage pupils who are easily embarrassed, since they are endowed with great power."

"Will power is the great force of the mind and needs careful direction."

"The successful teacher trains the pupils to like to do, also trains them to do intelligently, but best of all trains them to a love of doing the right thing."

"Train the pupils to a love of freedom. Those are free who do their duty from a sense of a love for duty."

Recess.

Prof. Holbrook:—"The brain will grow to its own powers by its own capabilities."

"Children learn to do by doing. Give them written work. At the close of a lesson have them write what they can on the subject they have had. Look over their papers. Do not criticize severely. Frequently give them written exercises. How rapidly they will grow in the practice."

Adjournment.

FRIDAY AFTERNOON

Music.

Discussion by Prof. Holbrook. Made a study of the mind under three heads, the acquisitive, reflective and expressive. Classified a course of study under these three heads.

In primary grade there is largely the acquisitive.

In grammar grade, is largely the reflective.

In high school grade is largely the expressive.

"Every course of study should have a line of natural science, mathematics and literature."

"The core of concentration in the primary grade is natural science."

"The core of concentration in the grammar grade is mathematics."

"The core of concentration in the higher grades is literature."

Recess.

Discussion on reading by Prof. Holbrook:—"Reading is to train children to the use of language, also to read. The teaching of reading in school should awaken in the pupils a love for reading."

"Let the children read naturally. Have them read aloud and then discuss what they read."

"Keep interested in the lesson yourself. Keep your pupils interested in it."

"Thoroughly master the piece yourself. Let them recite the piece or some passage from it. The beauty of all is you are growing—your pupils are growing."

Call for report on "Needed Legislation."

Report as read by Mr. Allen chairman of committee:

"We the teachers of Crittenden County Institute assembled, do hereby petition the Legislature of the Commonwealth of Kentucky to make the following changes in the Common School Law:

1st. Be it enacted that instead of four county examinations for county certificates, that we have only three, which shall take place in the following months, viz: May, June and August, and that instead of two examinations for state certificates we shall have only one which shall occur in the month of July and continue for three days.

2nd. Be it resolved that the examination for Common School Diploma shall take place the first Thursday and Friday in January, instead of the last Thursday and Friday of the same month.

3rd. Be it resolved that we petition the Legislature to appropriate funds for the purpose of a training school for teachers in Western Kentucky, and furthermore that we request the President of the First District Association to appoint a committee to report at the November association on needed legislation regarding the establishment of a training school in Western Kentucky.

B. M. Allen,  
Alice Browning,  
J. B. Paris,  
Committee.

A motion to adopt the report as a whole, was made and seconded. Motion carried.

A motion that we request all counties in Western Kentucky to consider the question of needed legislation, received a second and motion carried.

Reading of the Journal by Miss Margaret Moore was next in order. Institute then adjourned to meet again in 1900.

Lena Woods, Secretary.

Margaret Moore, Assistant.

Wonderful marvelous!

are expressions frequently heard about Foley's Kidney Cure. Do not fail to try this great remedy for all kidney trouble.

Gen. Wheeler will sail on the 20th inst. from San Francisco to take up the fighting game in the Philippines.



C. C. GRASSHAM

The many friends of Mr. C. C. Grassham, the bright young lawyer of Smithland, who made the race against John L. Gray for Commonwealth Attorney, will be glad to learn that he did not burn the bridge behind him, when he made that little detour, and that he is now affiliating with the Democratic party. Recently he was asked if he would accept the Republican nomination for representative and in reply to that letter of inquiry he explained his position as follows:

SMITHLAND, Ky., June 12.

My Dear Sir:—I hasten to answer your favor of 7th inst., which came to my desk while I was in Tennessee. You ask me "if I would accept the nomination for Representative, if

nominated," and add that you think I can be elected. I beg to state I would decline the nomination and position; because I am not Republican and have never been, nor am I in accord with the principles advocated by the Republican party; nor am I in sympathy with the policies it pursues.

I am a Democrat; and since the practical disbanding of the sound money wing of the Democratic party, I have affiliated with what is known as the regular Democratic party, and will so continue.

I think it right to be thus candid with you.

I am most respectfully,  
C. C. GRASSHAM,  
Hon. Wm. J. Deboe, U. S. Senator, Marion, Ky.

## No Right to Ugliness

The woman who is lovely in face, form and temper will always have friends, but one who would be attractive must keep her health. If she is weak, sickly and all run down she will be nervous and irritable. If she has constipation or kidney trouble, her impure blood will cause pimples, blotches, skin eruptions and a wretched complexion. Electric Bitters is the best medicine in the world to regulate stomach, liver and kidneys and to purify the blood. It gives strong nerves, bright eyes, smooth velvety skin, rich complexion. It will make a good looking, charming woman of a run down invalid. Only 50 cents at J. H. Orme's drugstore.

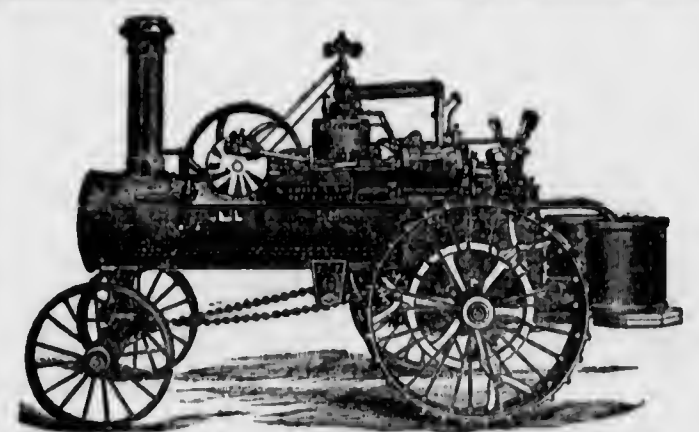
An enthusiastic Chinese merchant at Indianapolis celebrated the Fourth by touching off 100,000 firecrackers.

Those who live on farms are liable to many accidental cuts, burns and bruises, which heal rapidly when BALDWIN'S SNOW LINIMENT is promptly applied. Price 25 and 50 cents at J. H. Orme's drugstore.

A State ticket has been nominated in Iowa by a new organization called the United Christian party, whose platform is that the country should be governed by the standard: "What would Jesus do?"

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### The Press.

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R. C. WALKER, Publisher.

ONE YEAR ONE DOLLAR

FOR REPRESENTATIVE.

We are authorized to announce  
T. J. NICKEL

a candidate to represent Crittenden and Livingston counties in the next General Assembly of Kentucky. His candidacy is subject to the action of the Democratic party. Election November 1899.

Yellow fever is raging with unprecedented fierceness in the city of Panama.

It is stated that Secretary of War Alger's provisional resignation is in the hands of a friend.

A report comes from Washington that the President desires to shortly submit to the Cubans the question as to whether annexation or independence is desired.

The worst that can be said is one machine against the other machine in Kentucky this year, and as the farmers are somewhat accustomed to a contest between harvesting machines, there should be no great trouble about living up on one side or the other.

The Louisville Post does not care so much about the election of a governor in Kentucky this year as it does about the election of a president next year. If it can divide and split up the party in Kentucky in 1899, its work for 1900 is half accomplished.

Ex-president Harrison has been the most circumspect man in the country in his public utterances touching the imperialistic policy of the administration; in fact he has been calm-like. In a speech at a Fourth of July celebration in Paris he gave utterance to these words: "The United States has not set its eyes upon distant possessions." "We are not sure that our distinguished ex-president has set his eyes upon the ambitions of the 'power behind the throne' at Washington.

According to the official reports the revenues of the government collected from June 30, 1898, to June 30, 1899, were \$88,875,000 less than the expenditures, in other words there was a deficit of that amount. This deficit it is stated was produced by the extraordinary expenses incurred in prosecuting the war. But this does not seem to be true, for extra provisions were made for the war. Congress voted extra tax and a bond issue for the war, and the returns from these has been officially given as follows:

Increase in tobacco tax	\$15,000,000
Increase in spirit tax	7,000,000
Increase in beer and ale tax	40,000,000
Stamp tax	42,000,000
Miscellaneous revenue	8,000,000
Sale of war bonds	175,000,000
Pacific Railroad bonds	12,000,000

Total war fund \$299,000,000

The appropriations for the War and Navy Departments for the year 1898, was \$151,000,000—this was the amount estimated for these departments when there was no war. The appropriations for these departments for the year 1899—the war year—were \$294,000,000. The difference between the war and the difference is \$143,000,000. The fund raised for war purposes, as shown above, was \$299,000,000. Now if the actual expenses of the war was only \$143,000,000, there should be \$156,000,000 of the war fund on hand, but we have a deficit of \$88,875,000. For what has the remainder of the fund been spent, to my nothing of the ordinary revenues of the government? Use

### The Convention.

The Republican State Convention convened yesterday at noon at Lexington. We go to press to early to learn anything of the proceedings. Taylor seems to have enough instructed votes to make him easily the winner of the nomination for Governor. There are 1600 votes in the convention and he claims 1175. However Stone and Pratt have not given up the fight and seem to hope by some kind of turn to down Taylor. Taylor has the support of Senator Deboe and this influence which means the Federal patronage in the State, cuts no mean figure in the fight.

### Blackburn's Attitude.

The Democratic State Central Committee held a meeting in Frankfort Tuesday. Senator Blackburn was present and according to the Louisville Times he "addressed the committee and urged that no time be lost in perfecting the campaign organization. He paid a high tribute to the nominees of the State convention and declared that Goebel's victory would be a magnificent one. He urged complete harmony and stated that he was willing and anxious to go on the stump for the ticket."

The Senator's enthusiasm for the ticket worked up nearly all the members into a speech-making mood and things began to take on an old-fashioned revival appearance.

It occurs to us that the effort of the Louisville Dispatch to organize a bolt and get up another "Democratic" convention is silly, unless that paper desires to effectually split the party, and crush every hope of carrying the State in 1900. It is not difficult to see that this is one motive that actuates the Post, but for the Dispatch, an avowed free silver, Bryan advocate, to lead its influence to such a scheme is surprising, unless something "has come over the dreams" of that somewhat opaque sheet. Mr. Goebel was not our choice, and his manner of securing the nomination may not have been altogether the proper thing, but the convention was the court of arbitration, and when it passed upon the matter there was but one thing to do—stand by the result. It, per chance, the Dispatch, or individual, can not do this, there is room yet to "saw wood," or vote for some other candidate for governor, without an effort to create factions in the party by a "rump" convention. The cause of bimetalism will suffer less from a defeat accomplished by Republicans alone than from a downfall brought about by the assistance of another convention. If the individual wants to defeat Goebel, let him act for himself, and the responsibility is on him, and there are no party bickerings and organized factions left over for next year. Divide the party into conventions this year, as advocated by the Dispatch, and we will have the factions on hand next year.

This is another surprising thing about the Dispatch; a little more than a year ago, when the Goebel election bill was before the legislature, the paper was its staunchest supporter. When it could have turned the tide the other way, it was engaged in lambasting Democrats who were against the measure, now, as a result of its own effort the law is on the statute books, and we find it advocating a repeal. What kind of a leader is this, and who can afford to follow it?

The arrest of Angus M. Cannon on the charge of polygamy at Salt Lake City brings to the front that phase of the Mormon question again. It is said that Cannon's wives once numbered six. Recently Mrs. Mattie Hughes Cannon, who is supposed to be wife number four, gave birth to a bouncing girl baby, and as a result a warrant was sworn out charging Cannon with polygamy. Mrs. Mattie Hughes Cannon is a doctor and a State Senator. The result of the trial of Cannon will be watched for with interest by the whole country.

### Don't Stop Him.

He has a bad attack of colic and is taking for the doctor after a boy.

### AS THE SEE IT.

The Ticket As Seen Through First District Papers.

The First district is falling in line for the democratic ticket. The people know Gus Conlter and Harry Mc'henney, and know they would not go on a ticket that was not square.—Paducah News.

Mr. Goebel is a man who can neither be bribed, bullied nor humbugged into doing what he thinks is wrong, and when the people know this they will give him all the votes he needs.—Hickman Courier.

We here and now dedicate this paper and our efforts to the support of the democratic ticket, forgetting disappointments and things that were harsh, waiving irregularities, overlooking wrongs and hoping for its splendid triumph.—Fulton Guard.

The Leader editor made it a point to talk to as many people as possible yesterday in reference to the chances of the State Democratic ticket. Out of the large number of people we only saw or heard of but one Democrat who was going to vote against Goebel and he hailed from Wingo, Graves county.—Fulton Leader.

The whole people want a man to lead them who stands for something; who has all the qualities of a leader and all the requirements for a general—who can win, and who, when governor, will have the backbone, brain and nerves to run the office like a true Democrat.

Such a man is William Goebel.—Clinton Democrat.

While we did not get our choice in the struggle, we pledge ourselves for all we are worth to support Mr. Goebel, for we believe his actions before the people of our state as our standard bearer will be such as to merit the admiration and support of all Democrats, and not only Democrats, but all lovers of a free government, and a government of the people, by the people for the people.—Ballard Yeoman.

The nomination of Senator Goebel served to give nearly every man in Calloway county his second choice and is a good compromise for the Democracy of this county. By his nominations we ought to forget the jars and licks passed by opposing sides and let our voices be heard ringing together as one for the winning of the State ticket in November, ever remembering, united we stand, divided we fall.—Calloway Times.

In fact it is a representative ticket of the brain, honesty, industry, enterprise, and manhood of the grand old State. This ticket should receive the support for the young man that are on it. It should receive the support of the older men who feel a pride in their sons of Kentucky who are coming to the front. It should receive the support of every Democrat who claims the name of Democrat.—Princeton Banner.

Mr. Goebel is a vigorous young Democrat, unrelenting, untiring in his fight against corporations and corporate power and has proven himself a leader worthy of our support. No ring or clique hangs around him or dictates his actions, but with a firm and steady hand and a shrewd and penetrating perception, he directs his own doing, after surmounting great difficulties. He will make Kentucky a good governor.—Eddyville Tale.

### JAW BROKEN.

Prominent Men Quarrel at Kuttawa, With Serious Results.

Kuttawa, Ky., July 10.—William Lady, of this place, and Blake Baker, a farmer near here, engaged in a quarrel over a horse, and before the men could be separated, it is said Lady struck Baker with a heavy piece of iron, crushing his jaw and knocking several teeth out. The injured man's condition is serious, and fear is now entertained as to recovery. Both are well known and considered quite and peaceable men. No arrests.

### LOCAL NEWS

From All Sections of the County

#### BAKER.

Lint Sullivan is very busy every Sunday.

Uncle John Phillips is improving very much.

W P O'Neil has been quite sick for some time.

A singing at G W Phillips' last Sunday night.

A singing at W E Wilcox's next Saturday night.

J W Samuel, of Blackford, was in this section last Sunday.

Rennie Kling and his best girl attended church at this place last Sunday.

Miss Winnie Wilcox, of Marion, attended Sunday school at this place Sunday.

Miss Etta Nunn of this place attended church at Green's Chapel last Sunday.

J P Samuel and J H Phelps are visiting in Union and Webster counties this week.

The farmers are bustling around harvesting oats, plowing corn and threshing wheat.

A O'Neal and Miss Nora Phelps spent last Saturday and Sunday in Union county.

Misses Lillie and Rosa Hughes, of Heath, were the guest of A B Crisp last Sunday.

T W Walker and family were the guest of T J Perryman's family last Saturday and Sunday.

Oscar Fox and wife, of Clay, were visiting friends in this community last Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Josie Brown of Seminary Spring, was the guest of Mr. P H O'Neal's family last Sunday.

Protracted meeting begins at Rose but the 17th. Rev. Cundiff, of Marion, will conduct the services.

A good many old folks attended Sunday school last Sunday evening. Come again we need you all.

Bio Sam Woodson preached at this place Sunday at 11 o'clock. He leaves an appointment for every second Sunday at this place.

Egg curiosity—Your humble correspondent and others, were very much taken by an egg exhibited by Mrs. Johnnie Haynes and it was a hen's egg too. It was just about the size of a small goose egg, seemingly well matured and developed. On breaking it one white and yellow run out, still leaving an ordinary egg well shaped and shelled within the larger hull.

#### EMMAUS.

Miss Allie Butler returned from Marion Saturday after an extended visit.

Mrs. Maud Travis was the recipient of several nice presents recently from Mrs. Meud Brasher, of France.

Tom Wring is introducing a vegetable medicine which is guaranteed to alleviate all the ills heir to human. The spirit of improvement has struck East Claylick, and Phil Travis has graded a foot path from his headquarters down to Claylick and established a new ferry above the old crossing.

Next Sunday is our regular meeting day and the text for discussion is Matthew 5-25. Agree with thine adversary quickly while thou art in the way with him; lest at any time the adversary deliver thee to the judge and the judge deliver thee to the officer and thou be cast into prison.

It is with profound regret that we announce the death of Harry Brown, the devoted son of Will Brown, which occurred at his home near Emmaus Friday evening of last week after an illness of about twelve months of consumption. The funeral conducted by Rev. Criblow took place Saturday evening at the family graveyard. The heirs of Harry's many associates were overshadowed with gloom upon receiving the intelligence, and the many friends of the bereaved family, including the writer, extend their warmest sympathy to them in the loss of their beloved son, whom they loved and devotedly.

#### LEVIAS.

A new girl arrived at Robt Hardy's July 1st.

Payton R. Hodge and family visited here Monday last week.

Mrs. Mary Lay, of Bayou Mills, is visiting her brother, W. J. LaRue.

West is all about threshed in this crop. It is about one third of a crop.

Dr. Carly and family, of T. In, were in our midst Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Kittie Corns and Pauline Davidson were among friends last week.

Miss Ada Franks and Kay Farmer joined Union church by baptism, Eld J. S. Henry officiating.

Chas LaRue requests us to say that "one good turn deserves another." So settle that note or account.

Misses Zula Eaton and Carra Coty spent a week with friends and loved ones about Crayneville.

James M. Threlkeld is building a handsome residence here. Robert Hardy is the master workman.

Mrs. Abe Millikan died at her home near here July 2. She was seventy-six years old, and loved and respected by everybody.

#### DYCSBURG.

Mrs. Ed Dalton is on the sick list. John Byrd, of Kelsey was in town one day last week.

The infant child of Robert Hardy died Sunday evening.

Mrs. J H Clifton returned home Sunday from Marion.

Miss Nora Walters returned home Saturday from Kelsey.

Mrs. Mertie Moore returned home from Columbus, Ky., last week.

Miss Lillie Doss, of Marion, is the guest of Miss Cora Clifton this week.

A grand ball is to be given at Cassin's hall the 14th of July, by the Dycsburg band.

Dr. Neville, the dentist, has been in town for the past week; he gets more work than he can do and has to stay over his time.

#### CALDWELL SPRINGS.

A S Threlkeld and wife, of Kelsey, visited the cemetery at this place Sunday.

Tobe Grassham and family, of Salem were visiting the family of Owen Bask Sunday.

Old Maxwell and family, and Mrs. Brooks, of Fredonia, were callers in this community Sunday.

Mrs. Sue Fraser and son Freddie, of Marion, are in the neighborhood calling on friends and relatives.

Misses Josie Boaz, and Verna Reed, of Kelsey, who have been visiting in this vicinity for some time went home Sunday.

Miss Ida Koon has been in Marion for the past two weeks attending the institute and visiting friends. Miss Ida will teach our school this fall and winter.

Miss Mamie and Master Carey Henry, of Marion, who have been visiting their sister, Mrs. Ira Bennett for the past week returned home Sunday.

#### FREDONIA.

Fred Guess, of Crider, was in town Tuesday.

James Riddle, of Hampton, was in town Tuesday.

J S Bugg, of Morgansfield, is in town this week.

Wheat is most all threshed in this part of the country.

Mrs. Agnes Maxwell, of Dogwood, was in town Tuesday.

SH Cassidy, of Dycsburg, was in town the first of the week.

Miss Annella Jacobs, of Crayneville, has been visiting here.

Willie Ray and family, of Kuttawa were visiting here the first of the week.

Bad Clement of Smith's and, and Doc Clement, of Kuttawa, were in town Saturday.

#### WESTON.

Mrs. Nellie Cain has returned home. The steamer Alice Brown is lying at anchor wharf.

Just arrived, a free silver advocate, at Albert Walker's—a boy.

Miss Nora Eskew has gone to her father, who lives in Missouri.

Cas Cain has started his wheat thrasher with everything in tip top trim.

We are informed that G. L. Clement is to teach the Heath school this winter.

Miss Gertrude Rankin is at home from Louisville where she has been attending the blind school.

J C Crowell is suffering with his eye, is

oncure which has been growing for eighteen years.

On Tuesday night the 18th, the ladies of this place will serve an ice cream supper at the C P Church for the purpose of raising money for the Christian work. They cordially invite your attendance.

#### There is no 2 About It.

No question indeed with those who have used it, but that Foley's Kidney Cure is absolutely reliable for all Kidney and Bladder diseases.

#### LONGER SCHOOL TERM.

MARKED TREE, ARK., July 5.

ED. PRESS.—If you will grant me space I will say a few more words on the Teachers' Salary as I think there are but few more words to be said to bring the views of my Sturgis friend in direct corroboration with my argument. If he will devote his mind of the one mistake, viz: "That it is unlawful, for a teacher to contract for a longer term than five months," then I know that we can come to a more perfect understanding with each other.

Now, I can't cite him to the exact section of the school law on this, nor can I quote it, but I can give it in substance. "No part of the public school fund shall be appropriated for aught except paying the teacher, and no teacher shall contract for less than the public mind unless it be to extend the term longer than the usual time." This may not be it exactly, but it is what it means. Of course, nearly all the teachers and trustees know this law. It passed five years ago, and I should like for my friend to fix it in his mind that the teachers and trustees are not violating the law when they are contracting for more than five months. The law is optional and the average teacher takes advantage of it. This is what I am fighting. The law no more fixes the teacher's wages than it does the farmer's wages. He is using the option where it will give him more money to the teacher, while

I think it should be used for the education of the children.

I have never, in the least, tried to dam the great river, or offer any change in the five months system by advocating the extension of the regular term, and all who know the law must admit this fact.

It is a fact that time, talent, and money must go together to forward the progress of education, but for one or two to absorb the other is almost as bad as the absence of all the three. The time has already been created by law and a teacher can not impart talent, he can only develop, and if he just "pitches off" the usual ninety-eight days we can't expect more than half development. This I suppose, you would call "second class talent."

Although my certificate is, and has been first class ever since my second year in the school work. I hope my friend will agree with me that there exists in teachers holding second and third class certificates just as true, manly spirits and divine intentions as do in the most developed educators of our land; and, also, the common schools of our country are the most efficacious field for mission work to be found if only under the right kind of teachers. Not the lover of the "almighty dollar," but a true lover and worshiper of the Almighty God. The church is what the people make it, and each true member has his part to perform, and each teacher should be a true member. Thus we see the schools are, or should be under the mission work of the church. My friend has a wrong conception of the word, missionary, or has failed to see the true object of man's creation, if he thinks life is not upon a missionary basis.

Of course, the reason our schools in Kentucky do not come up to the schools of other states, is the greater part of the schools in the country districts have not money enough to support them a sufficient term and those that have money enough to employ an average teacher for a longer term, give it all to him for a five months term.

As my friend has agreed with me on denouncing the usual mode of applying for schools, (for the public money,) and I think I have him convinced of the fact that it is not unlawful to teach a school for more than five months for the public money, and he also excuses himself from further debate, I shall "let up" on him for this time, but I wish to thank the "Pupil" for his or her article preceding my last one. I am glad to know that I am not wholly by myself in view.

If there is another that wishes to take Mr. Hill's position, I am still of the opinion a teacher should extend the term longer than five months if his surrounding circumstances will admit.

Yours truly,  
E. JEFFREY TRAVIS.

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### LOCAL BREVITIES

Genang wanted.—Schwab.  
New goods just received.—Fols.  
Bob Enoch is quite sick.  
Jailer Hard has four boarders.  
Mr. Milo Barnes, the singer, is in town.  
Mr. Ross Duvali has moved to Salem.  
It was a dry shucking Monday for county court.  
Mr. Anthony Davidson went to Paducah Tuesday.  
Mrs. J. H. Orme has been quite ill several days.  
Messrs. S. Hodge and Wm. Marble were in town Saturday.  
M. H. Weldon and wife returned from Fulton last week.  
R-member Hamlin pays more for produce than anybody.  
The local wheat market has opened up from 65 to 70 cents.  
Wm. Freeman, of Fulton, was in town the first of the week.  
The Bloomer Girls vs. Marion Boys Tuesday evening, July 18th.  
Rev. B. A. Cundiff is holding a meeting at Post Oak this week.  
Chickens bring 1 cent per pound more at Hearn than anywhere.  
Mrs. John Hughes is very sick at her home—a mile south of town.  
Mr. W. J. L. Hughes came down from Henderson and spent Sunday at home.  
Mrs. Oscar McNeely is down with typhoid fever at her father's, Wm. Moss.  
Jesse Olive has been offered \$75 for his milk-cow but declined to accept.  
Miss Ina Woods is visiting the family of her brother, Mr. Everett Woods, in Chicago.  
The town has Ed. Rutter paying a fine on the rock pile for drawing his pistol on another party.  
Mr. J. B. Hubbard's family came over from Shady Grove Sunday to see their new home here.  
Miss Della Kevill went to Mount Eagle Monday to spend two weeks at the School of Expression.  
Mr. Levi Sigler and wife, of Shady Grove, spent Saturday and Sunday with Lem Clark and family.  
Mr. A. H. Cardin informs us that the Populists will have a barbecue at Crittenden Springs Aug. 5.  
Mr. Ed Moore came over from Madisonville Sunday to spend a week with friends in Marion.  
Quarterly meeting at Hill's Chapel July 29 and 30, instead of the third Sunday as reported last week.  
Jailer Hard has discovered mineral on his farm near town. He will do some digging and dynamiting.  
Miss Whitney, who has been the guest of Miss Ruth Thomas, returned to her home at South Carrollton Monday.  
Mr. Jesse Gray, of Salem, was in town Monday. Jesse has 500 bushels of wheat ready for market and wants to sell.  
Miss Nolie Blue and Mr. Krause's children and the Misses Miller, of St. Louis, are guests of friends in Marion.  
Rev. W. H. Archey, of Dawson, was in town Saturday en route home from Carverville. His family is visiting at Carverville.  
Joel Deboe, of Clinton, was in town Monday. He was called to this county by the illness of his mother, Mrs. Abe Deboe.  
Mr. D. W. Rawlston, of Dycusburg, was in town Monday; he reports crop prospects as anything but flattering in his section.  
Tuesday Jeff Chittenden fell from the roof of D. Woods' residence, where he was at work, and broke his leg just above the ankle.  
Dr. C. M. Rorer went to Tolu yesterday to look over the field with a view of locating there. He will locate either there or at Marion.

Don't fail to see the Bloomer Girls. The Baptist Sunday school had its annual picnic at Crittenden Springs yesterday.  
More groceries, better groceries and cheaper groceries than you ever saw at Hearn.  
Mrs. D. R. Rodgers, of Ridgway, Ill., is the guest of her father's family, Mr. T. J. Cochran.  
Mr. W. E. Forster, a tinner and roofer, of Harrisburg, Ill., is in town. He thinks of locating here.  
Mrs. M. R. Hoover left Tuesday for Wichita, Kans., where she will reside with Mr. R. N. Dorr.  
Mrs. R. N. Walker went to Henderson yesterday to visit her son—J. H. Walker. The latter's little son is very sick.  
There will be services at the Cumberland Presbyterian Church next Sunday at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.  
The Bloomer Girls vs. Marion Base Ball Club, at this place, Tuesday evening, July 18th. Admission 25c.  
Still in business at the old stand regardless of the combine.  
Hearn & Son.  
Mr. Henry Kuykendall, of Union county, was in town yesterday. He wanted to buy a small farm near town.  
At the meeting of the city council Tuesday night, the question of city attorney was discussed; it seems that the office is going begging.  
B. F. McMeican has sold his interest in the grocery business to his partner, Mr. John D. Boaz. Rev. McMeican will devote his entire time to the ministry.  
There will be a quarterly roll call at Presbyterian church Sunday. A full attendance of the membership is earnestly desired.  
Mrs. Abe Deboe is still very low, with but little hope of recovery. She is a sister of our fellow citizen, Mr. J. M. Freeman.  
Rev. J. F. Price will preach next Sunday, the Lord willing, on the following themes: Morning, "Fall of Man;" evening, "Is Evil Necessary?"  
The biggest excursion the O. V. has ever carried went to Evansville Sunday. When the train reached Indiana there were 1300 people aboard.  
Messrs. H. C. McCord, J. J. Chittenden and J. E. Chittenden, of Livingston county, passed through town Tuesday, going to the Republican State convention.  
Messrs. A. C. Moore, Julian Ainsworth and Wallace Franklin, and Geo. W. Brooks, col., left Tuesday to attend the Republican State convention at Frankfort.  
The Bloomer Girls, the ladies champion base ball club, and the Marion Base Ball Club will meet in a match game of ball, at this place, next Tuesday evening. Admission 25c.  
The Bloomer Girls carry their own covered grand stand and canvas fence so there will be plenty of seats and shade for everybody. Don't forget the date, Tuesday evening, July 18.  
An admission of 25c will be charged at the ball game next Tuesday between The Bloomer Girls and the Marion Club. A grand stand is being erected and there will be seats for all.  
Don't forget the Monday night prayer meeting at the C. P. church. The Lord has been blessing us graciously. Come praying and believing that God will bless you. It begins promptly at 8 o'clock.  
Mrs. Boli James returned home last week from a visit to her daughter in Paducah; while in the city she bought a nice surry. She returned by boat to Dycusburg and from there home in the surry.  
Mr. Robt. Heath, of near Weston, was in town Monday for the first time in many months. He has been ill, but is sufficiently recovered to walk with the assistance of crutches. Notwithstanding his afflictions, one rarely meets with a merrier old man than "Uncle Bob."  
Dr. J. R. and J. J. Clark attended the meeting of the medical society at Murganfield Monday. The society is composed of the physicians of Crittenden, Webster, Union and Henderson counties. Dr. J. B. Clark was elected vice-president of the society.

One of the hardest fought cases in this term of court was that of Mrs. Alice Morrill against the United Order of the Golden Cross. Messrs. Reed and Greer, of Paducah, and J. Bell Kevill, of this place, represented the order; while James & James and A. C. Moore represented the plaintiff. M. N. Morrill had a life insurance policy in the order for \$1000, and the defendants claimed, first, that he had been suspended for non-payment of dues, and second, that he obtained the policy by misrepresenting his physical condition. Both of these points were controverted by the widow and children to whom the policy was payable. After the testimony had been heard; strong arguments were made by the attorneys. The jury returned a verdict for Mrs. Morrill. It is said that when the jury went to its room every man wanted to speak first and it took sixty seconds to agree on the verdict. The defendants asked for an appeal, and were given until the seventh day of the next term to file a bill of exceptions.  
J. A. Thomason sued H. S. Jarvis on a tobacco contract and got judgment for \$70.02—amount asked for in the petition.  
A. W. Thomas sued R. T. Mayes for the adjustment of matters in a horse sale. The jury returned a verdict for the defendant.  
The Columbia Finance & Trust Co., was given a judgment against A. F. Griffith for \$659.41, and against Phil Johnson for \$251.28. The plaintiff is a building and loan association and the suits grew out of business the defendants entered into on that basis.  
A Fortune.  
Mr. Ollie James will leave today for Othala, Kansas, for the purpose of looking up the estate and examining the will of the late Joshua Woodside. Woodside was a native of this county, and resided here a portion of his time until he went to Othala and took up his residence, where he died last spring. He was known to have considerable property, and was reported to be very wealthy, counting his money by the thousands; but that as it may, he cut off his natural heirs by will, devising his property to a church in Illinois. He has a brother and other relatives here, and they have employed Mr. James to investigate the validity of the will, and make a fight in the courts for the property.  
Barney Markey Dead.  
Mr. Barney Markey, one of the oldest and best known citizens of Livingston county, died at his home at Hampton Thursday night, after a brief illness.  
Mr. Markey was born in Ireland July 1, 1817. He came to America in 1835 and settled in New York, where he worked at the tailor's trade. Later he went to Pittsburg and then he came down the Ohio, stopping for a while at Cassville; he then went to Southland in the bright days of that town, but remained there but a short time going to Memphis. In 1840 he returned from Memphis and settled on the farm near Hampton and there he resided forty-nine years. In 1839 he was married to Miss Malinda Peyton, and of the union eleven children were born—nine of whom are living.  
Mr. Markey was a devout Catholic and it was through his devotion and work, the neat little Catholic church was built at Hampton.  
The United States authorities at Paducah have been notified that they could have Osburn and Irwin, two of the men charged with breaking into the postoffice at Crayneville. We learn that they declined to take them off of our hands.  
"Spring Unlocks The Flowers"  
To Paint the Laughing Soil.  
And not even Nature would allow the flowers to grow and blossom to perfection without good soil. Now Nature and people are much alike; the former must have sunshine, latter must have pure blood in order to have perfect health.  
Hood's Sarsaparilla cures blood troubles of all sorts. It is to the human system what sunshine is to Nature—the destroyer of disease germs. It never disappoints.  
Poor Blood.—The doctor said there were not seven drops of good blood in my body. Hood's Sarsaparilla built me up and made me strong and well." Susan K. Brown, 16 Astor Hill, Lynn, Mass.  
Dyspepsia, etc.—A complication of troubles, dyspepsia, chronic catarrh and inflammation of the stomach, rheumatism, etc., made me miserable. Had no appetite until I took Hood's Sarsaparilla, which acted like magic. I am thoroughly cured." N. H. Smeiter, 1614 W. 14th Av., Denver, Col.  
Resurrection.—My husband was obliged to give up work on account of rheumatism. No remedy helped until he used Hood's Sarsaparilla, which permanently cured him. I cured my daughter of catarrh. I give it to the children with good results." Mrs. J. S. McCall, Stamford, Ct.

At a special meeting of the Crittenden County Medical Society held in Marion July 8th, 1899, the following eulogy and resolutions were read by the president and unanimously adopted as expressing the sentiments of the members.  
Gentlemen, it becomes my painful duty, as your presiding officer, to report to you the sudden and tragic death of our esteemed First Vice-President, Dr. A. S. H. Boyd.  
Let us with love and charity for all and malice toward none, kindly draw the mantle of forgetfulness over the faults, and remember only the virtues, of those who have gone a little before us and crossed the narrow divide which separates life and death and now occupy a position from which it is impossible to defend themselves. We may learn from his life history and character that a strong, unyielding, brave, independent individual always commands respect.  
He was rough and uncouth in some things; mild, gentle, patient, kind and forbearing in some things, but the same brave, firm independent Dr. Boyd in all things.  
Beneath that rough exterior was as brave and honest a heart as ever throbbed in sympathy for others' woes. He was steadfast in his friend ships, and plain and out spoken in his opinions, never allowing himself to be misunderstood on any subject, a cordial hater of every form of deceit, pretense intrigue and innuendo, he never hesitated to boldly denounce such wherever met with.  
He always had a kind word for those beneath him in the social scale, and wealth and social position had no influence in winning his respect, in fact he held them in perfect contempt unless accompanied by real merit.  
By his strong and forceful character he held a clientele as few men could with the disadvantages under which he labored. Such men materially reduce the labor and difficulties of the profession by commanding respect for the physician and enforcing obedience to his instructions.  
Many hearts are made sad by his untimely and tragic death, and when we remember his earnest efforts for the advancement of the interests of this society our hearts are filled with sincere regret, and to our eyes come bitter tears. We shall miss his stern and wise counsel in our deliberations.  
Resolved, That in the death of Dr. Boyd this Society loses one of its best friends and members, the community in which he lived loses a good and useful physician, and his family a kind husband and father.  
Resolved, That we extend to the bereaved family and friends our heartfelt sympathy.  
J. J. CLARK, Secretary.  
Parish—Travis.  
Wednesday evening July 5, 1899, at the residence of the bride's father, Mr. Curg Travis, of Tribune, Mr. John H. Parish and Miss Rosa E. Travis were united in marriage, Rev. J. F. Price officiating. A large number of friends witnessed the happy union. Immediately after the ceremony an elegant wedding supper was served. Around the festal board were gathered many friends and neighbors and the musicians furnished splendid music. The attendants were Mr. M. T. Towery and Miss Ellen Travis. Many valuable presents were given. The bride is the daughter of one of the leading farmers of the Tribune neighborhood, and the groom is a prosperous young man. The Press extends congratulations.  
No Vagaries.  
Rev. J. J. Smith, the evangelist of Leitchfield, Ky., has been conducting a revival meeting at the M. E. church in this place for about two weeks, in which about thirty persons have professed faith in Christ. Rev. Smith is aided in his work by W. E. Charles of this county who conducts the singing, assisted Misses Alma Hays and Marye Smith. The meeting is well attended at all times as the preaching is of that character that commands the closest attention, and when anyone once hears Rev. Smith preach he wants to hear him again. His sermons are clear, logical, forceful, and full of old fashion, sound gospel, unattended by any theories, delusions or vagaries. He has been successful as an evangelist and a pulpit orator.—Smithland Dispatch.

Married in Evansville.  
A Kentucky lover and his sweet heart celebrated the Fourth by coming to Evansville and having the nuptial knot tied. The marriage occurred at the Wellington Hotel parlors.  
The contracting parties were Miss Addie Davis, aged 20 years, a pretty farmer's daughter, of Marion, Ky., and Sherman DeMoss, a prosperous young farmer of Ashleysburg, Ky. Rev. J. W. Turner, of Trinity M. E. church, officiated with the beautiful ceremony of that church.  
Miss Susie Davis, a sister of the bride, and Claude Weldon, accompanied the bridal party.  
After partaking of dinner and seeing the Fourth of July exercises at the different places in the city the couple departed at 2:30 p. m. for their Kentucky home.—Evansville Courier.  
The bride is the daughter of Mr. W. P. Davis, who lives two miles from Marion. The Press extends congratulations.  
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Selling Bitters.  
The Elizabethtown Independent complains that a small boat, "lying on the east side of Hurricane Island," is disposing of "bitters," and is in the jurisdiction of Kentucky courts.  
County Court Notes.  
The will of James C. Drennan, deceased, was probated; he bequeathed his property to his two brothers—W. F. and George I. Drennan.  
W. B. Rankin was appointed overseer of road district No. 77.  
I have moved my tailor shop to first door east of Masonic building.  
M. E. Fols.  
Quarterly Report  
Marion Bank,  
MARION, KY.  
At the Close of Business June 30, 1899.  
RESOURCES.  
Loans and discounts, less loans to directors.....\$42,161.14  
Loans to directors (officers not included).....\$2,000.00  
Due from National Banks.....14,069.10  
Due from State Banks.....52,303.46  
Banking house and lot.....5,000.00  
Cash on hand.....5,260.52  
Furniture and fixtures.....4,800.00  
Total.....\$125,594.62  
LIABILITIES.  
Capital stock paid in, in cash \$20,000.00  
Undivided profits.....\$29,299.00  
Deposits subject to check (on which interest is not paid) 104,765.23  
Total.....\$125,594.62  
STATE OF KENTUCKY,  
County of Crittenden, } ss  
T. J. Yandell, Cashier of Marion Bank, a bank located and doing business at No. 285 Main street, in the city of Marion in said county, being duly sworn, says that the foregoing report is in all respects a true statement of the condition of the said bank, at the close of business on the 30 day of June, 1899, to the best of his knowledge and belief; and further says that the business of said bank has been transacted at location named, and not elsewhere; and that the above report is made in compliance with an official notice received from the Secretary of State designating the 30 day of June, 1899, as the day on which such report shall be made.  
Subscribed and sworn to before me by T. J. Yandell, cashier, the 5 day of July, 1899.  
H. A. Haynes, C. C. C. C. T. J. Yandell, Cashier.  
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## EULOGY OF ASSOCIATES.

County Medical Society Pass Resolutions on Dr. Boyd.

At a special meeting of the Crittenden County Medical Society held in Marion July 8th, 1899, the following eulogy and resolutions were read by the president and unanimously adopted as expressing the sentiments of the members.  
Gentlemen, it becomes my painful duty, as your presiding officer, to report to you the sudden and tragic death of our esteemed First Vice-President, Dr. A. S. H. Boyd.  
Let us with love and charity for all and malice toward none, kindly draw the mantle of forgetfulness over the faults, and remember only the virtues, of those who have gone a little before us and crossed the narrow divide which separates life and death and now occupy a position from which it is impossible to defend themselves. We may learn from his life history and character that a strong, unyielding, brave, independent individual always commands respect.  
He was rough and uncouth in some things; mild, gentle, patient, kind and forbearing in some things, but the same brave, firm independent Dr. Boyd in all things.  
Beneath that rough exterior was as brave and honest a heart as ever throbbed in sympathy for others' woes. He was steadfast in his friend ships, and plain and out spoken in his opinions, never allowing himself to be misunderstood on any subject, a cordial hater of every form of deceit, pretense intrigue and innuendo, he never hesitated to boldly denounce such wherever met with.  
He always had a kind word for those beneath him in the social scale, and wealth and social position had no influence in winning his respect, in fact he held them in perfect contempt unless accompanied by real merit.  
By his strong and forceful character he held a clientele as few men could with the disadvantages under which he labored. Such men materially reduce the labor and difficulties of the profession by commanding respect for the physician and enforcing obedience to his instructions.  
Many hearts are made sad by his untimely and tragic death, and when we remember his earnest efforts for the advancement of the interests of this society our hearts are filled with sincere regret, and to our eyes come bitter tears. We shall miss his stern and wise counsel in our deliberations.  
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County Convention to be held at Siloam July 18

### Programme for the Meeting:

- 6:30 Devotional Exercises conducted by H. C. Love.
  - Song by the Convention.
  - 10:00 How may best results be obtained in conventions, by Prof. H. Watson.
  - 10:30 Acquaintance of the teacher with the home of the scholar, Mrs. Lillie Flannery.
  - Song by Siloam class.
  - 11:00 Appointments of committees.
  - Music by all classes present.
  - 11:30 How to enlist the church members, Rev. Robt. Johnson.
  - Music by Chapel Hill and Crayneville classes.
  - Adjournment.
  - 1:30 Object of International Work, its needs and demands, Prof. E. A. Fox, of Louisville.
  - Music all around.
  - 2:00 Reports of District Presidents.
  - Music by Sugar Grove and Piney Fork classes.
  - 2:30 Our county work, by county president.
  - Music by Liberty Grove and Siloam classes.
  - 2:45 Pledges for county and state work.
  - Character building in the Sunday-school, Rev. J. F. Price.
  - Music Marion classes.
  - 3:00 What training does the teacher need, how secure it? Alice Griffith.
  - Music all around.
  - 3:30 Reports of committees.
  - A model superintendent, Dr. I. H. Clement.
  - Music by Tola and Hurricane classes.
  - 4:00 What will I do to make next year's work better than all the past?
  - Music: "When the Roll is Called up Yonder."
  - Everybody come and bring well-filled baskets.
  - R. M. Frauke, Co. Pres.
- District Convention at Liberty Grove, July 15**
- 1. Devotional exercises.
  - 2. Relation of the Parents to the Sunday-school, A. H. Croft and W. F. Mott.
  - 3. Music, Siloam Class.
  - 4. Acquaintance of Teacher with the Home of the Scholar, J. A. Sullenger.
  - 5. Music, Glendale Class.
  - 6. How to Enlist the Church Members, Jessie Porter.
  - 7. The Preparation of the Lesson, E. H. Mott.
  - 8. Music, Siloam Class.
  - 9. System without Ruts in Sunday-school Operation, Rev. Payne.
  - 10. Music, Glendale Class.
  - 11. What can be Done to Increase the Number and Efficiency of the Sunday schools in the County, R. M. Frauke.
  - 12. Music, Siloam Class.
  - 13. The Teacher's Responsibility, Rev. B. F. McLean.
- The exercises will begin at 9:30. There will be dinner on the ground and intermission from 12 to 1:30. All are cordially invited to attend and bring their baskets well filled.

### His Life Was Saved.

Mr. J. E. Lilly, a prominent citizen of Hannibal, Mo., lately made a wonderful deliverance from a frightful death. In tell of it he says: "I was taken with Typhoid Fever, then ran into Pneumonia. My lungs became hardened. I was so weak I couldn't even sit up in bed. Nothing helped me. I expected to soon die of consumption, when I heard of Dr. King's New Discovery. One bottle gave great relief. I continued to use it, and now am well and strong. I can't say too much in its praise." This marvellous medicine is the surest and quickest cure in the world for all Throat and Lung Trouble. Regular size 50 cents and \$1. Trial bottle free at J. H. Orme's drugstore; every bottle guaranteed.

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## CHINCH BUGS.

A Farmer Uses the Poison and Kills Bugs.

Editor Press:—The reading of the articles in reference to killing tobacco flies, reminds me of the destructive chinch bug, and that he may be killed also. A year ago, I wrote to the Kentucky Agricultural Experiment Station at Lexington, Ky., for a package of the chinch bug fungus. I received the following in reply:

"The package of fungus for which you wrote is sent by mail. Apply according to directions enclosed." Instead of following directions strictly. I think you will get better results by putting the fungus first in a little water, say a pint or quart, allowing it to soak for an hour, stirring occasionally so that the spores are evenly distributed throughout it. Then sprinkle the earth in the bottom of a box with this water, having first put some of the bugs in the box to be inoculated with the poison, and if possible wet the bugs with the water."

Yours truly,  
H. GARMAN.  
Entomologist and Botanist.

I followed these instructions. Partially filling a box with loose earth, I caught a few dozen bugs, put them in the box, and sprinkled the water with the fungus in it. In an hour or so the bugs began to turn yellow and show signs of distress. I then took these bugs and distributed them in our sorghum patch, which was full of the bugs. In a day or two, bugs began to die by the hundreds, and in a few days there were none left worth speaking of. Our sorghum, about one acre was thus saved. I saw a farmer in Livingston county trying the plan in a big corn field, fairly lined with bugs, and the result was about the same. In a week's time after he turned the fungus charged bugs loose in his field, there were millions of dead bugs and his corn was saved.

Many farmers say to me, "I don't believe it," that don't die away with the fact, and I am sure that if all of the fields infested with this destructive insect were thus treated, we will get rid of the chinch bug; other persons besides myself have tried the plan, and their experience is similar to mine. The fungus is sent free by mail, if you have the chinch bug, try it and watch the results.

Wm. W. Wilson,  
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Dr. E. Y. Mullins, of Boston, has accepted the presidency of the Southern Baptist Seminary.

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## INSPECTION OF PLANTS.

In No Other Way Can the Introduction and Propagation of Insect Pests Be Prevented.

The need of government inspection of all importations of plants and shrubs and the danger to the agriculturists of the country through the present lack of such inspection, was clearly shown the other day at the agricultural department buildings in Washington, when several large boxes of plants arrived from Japan. They were opened and a number of them found to contain young camphor trees intended for distribution among the southern states. As is usually the case, the various editors of the department—the bug men, the fungus specialists, etc.—were present and on the lookout for any new bugs, fungi or other pests. The expert examination resulted in the entire lot of camphor trees being burned up, and fairly healthy. Every plant was affected by a kind of anthracnose, and mildew and a species of scale insect were found.

The camphor tree as grown in the United States is remarkably free from diseases, but with the distribution which might have been given this lot of trees, perhaps highly injurious diseases and insects would have been introduced in all camphor growing sections. Such diseases frequently do not develop on the one or two-year-old nursery plants, and if sent out by nurserymen who do not take special notice and who, anyway, having paid for their importation, are loath to adopt stringent measures, are very liable to develop an incredible disease before its very existence may be known. The camphor industry in the United States is not now an important one, but in later years it may be, yet this is simply an example of what is liable to occur in other and more valuable industries. There is absolutely no national protection possible under present laws. If the nurseryman wishes to import a similar lot of camphor trees from Japan, or some other more widely grown tree, and send them out broad cast over the country, even though they be full of diseases, he cannot be stopped by the government. Many of the worst diseases and insects have been brought into the United States in this manner, requiring the annual outlay of thousands of dollars to combat their depredations; whereas, at a comparatively small cost the government could entirely control all imports of plants, seeds, etc., and save growers from possible additional losses through these means. Germany, France, Italy and even dozens of unimportant colonies are enforcing stringent regulations in this respect, but the United States, the country in which the imports are largest and most varied because of the energy of her people, is the farthest behind.—Journal of Agriculture.

**MONEY EASILY MADE.**  
Running a Public Spraying Machine is Affording a Good Income to an Eastern Farmer.

There is a man in western New York who has a complete outfit of boiler, engine, steam pump, tank and hose mounted on his farm wagon. A 12-year-old boy has run this outfit in neighboring orchards—driving the wagon and keeping up steam. The charge is \$5 a day, the owner of the orchard

providing the spraying mixture and men to hold the nozzles. With this outfit it is possible to spray out 1,500 gallons of poisoned water in a day, and the first cost of the entire outfit was but \$250. This man could not begin to accommodate those who wanted to hire his spraying outfit. In 50 days of outside work he will pay the entire first cost of the apparatus, while the pump, boiler and tank are doubtless good for 1,000 days' work without repair. Here is an inkling of what is coming. A man with the needed capital and the proper mechanical skill has a chance to make some money as public sprayer.—Farm and Home.

**ORCHARD AND GARDEN.**  
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The peach and the plum are so closely related to each other that they can be grafted on each other.

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San Jose scale specks.

More than one authority states that there is practically no interest in California over the San Jose scale. The San Jose scale is considered a sovereign remedy. The formula for it is as follows: Unsifted lime, 40 pounds; salt, 15 pounds; sulphur, 20 pounds. Ten pounds of lime are first slaked and boiled with the sulphur in 20 gallons of water for three hours. The remaining lime and salt are then added, and the whole boiled an hour longer. Sufficient water is then added to bring the whole solution up to 60 gallons, which is strained before using.—Guy E. Mitchell in Farm and Fireside.

**NOTICE.**  
All persons indebted to me are requested to call and settle. I shall need the money on Aug. 1, and you must settle before that date.

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Gov. Savers, of Texas, states that at least 45,000 persons were rendered destitute by the recent floods. Most of them are negroes. The loss of life he thinks, will not exceed fifty. Up to Saturday night \$30,000 in contributions had been received, in addition to the many carloads of clothing and food furnished by the State and Federal governments. The damage to the cotton crop, it is estimated, will not fall below \$4,000,000.

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D. Woods,  
A copy attest. Clerk Crit. Co. Court.

## Stray Notice.

Taken up as a stray by F. M. Wring, 4 miles east of Salem, Ky., on the Salem and Fredonia road, in Claylick creek, near Emmaus church, on the 10th day of June, 1899, two 2 year old mare mules. One is black with a white blaze on her face, mostly white with a few gray hairs on her neck, hips, with no other marks or brands, and appraised by me at \$80. Witness my hand this 19th day of June 1899.

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